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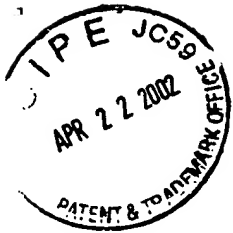
We are transmitting herewith the attached:

- ☒ Transmittal sheet, in duplicate, containing Certificate under 37 CFR §1.8
- ☒ Communication in Response to a Notice to Comply with Requirements of 37 CFR 1.821-1.825 for Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide Sequence and/or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures dated March 15, 2002
- ☒ Preliminary Amendment
- ☒ Copy of Notice to Comply with Requirements of 37 CFR 1.821-1.825 for Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide Sequence and/or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures
- ☒ Sequence Listing in paper copy and computer readable form and Declaration Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.821(f)
- ☒ Return postcard

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Dear Sir:

**COMMUNICATION IN RESPONSE TO A NOTICE TO COMPLY WITH  
REQUIREMENTS OF 37 CFR 1.821-1.825 FOR PATENT APPLICATIONS  
CONTAINING NUCLEOTIDE SEQUENCE AND/OR AMINO ACID SEQUENCE  
DISCLOSURES DATED MARCH 15, 2002**

This communication is submitted in response to an Office Communication dated March 15, 2002, to comply with requirements of 37 C.F.R. 1.821 through 1.825 for sequence listing, in connection with the above-identified application. A one (1) month period for reply was set, making April 15, 2002, the deadline for filing a response to the Notice. Accordingly, this Response is being timely filed. A copy of the above-referenced Notice is submitted herein as Exhibit 1.

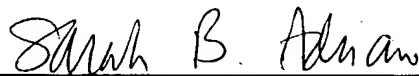
In response to the Office Communication, the applicants herein submit a sequence listing including an original paper copy, a computer readable copy, and a Declaration under 37 C.F.R. §1.821(f) stating that the computer readable copy of the sequence listing is identical to the paper

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copy (Exhibit 2). The sequence listing contains no new matter and is supported by the specification as originally filed. Accordingly, entry of this amendment is respectfully requested.

No additional fee is deemed necessary in connection with the filing of this Communication. However, if any additional fee is necessary, the Patent Office is authorized to charge the additional fee to Deposit Account No. 50-0306.

Respectfully submitted,

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